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The Chief Executive Officer has issued a report, dated July 22nd, containing a set of recommendations regarding which county agency should assume the responsibility over the post-release community supervision (PRCS) program pursuant to AB 109 as well as AB 109 in general. Under AB 109 and AB 117, the Board of Supervisors is mandated to designate the county agency that will assume the responsibility over PRCS.

The Probation Department has been providing supervision and rehabilitative services to adult probationers for over a century. Accordingly, the Department's existing infrastructure and internal expertise renders it the most suitable county agency to assume the responsibility over PRCS.

Additionally, the Probation Department routinely works with local law enforcement agencies throughout the county to monitor and conduct compliance checks of probationers. Currently, local law enforcement agencies, both the Sheriff's Department as well as police departments of independent cities, collaborate and execute joint enforcement operations that aim to hold probationers accountable to the terms and conditions of their probation and protect public safety. The County does not provide any funding to local law enforcement agencies for these enforcement operations now and it cannot afford to do so under AB 109 due to the inadequacy of the funding anticipated from the state.

Under AB 109, the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) is the body responsible for developing and submitting an implementation plan to the Board of Supervisors. The CCP has on-going meetings with the active participation by CDCR to develop the best possible plan within the state's fiscal parameters. The size and scope of this task coupled with the deadline of September 1, makes it important to refer all aspects of AB 109 to the CCP to avoid any duplication or fragmentation of efforts and ensure a coordinated and comprehensive plan.

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WE, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Designate the Probation Department as the county's agency responsible for the post-release community supervision program pursuant to AB 109; and,
2. Refer the CEO's report of July 22 to the Community Corrections Partnership.
3. As it relates to the hybrid framework, request the CCP to consider only the inclusion of Sheriff's personnel to work with the Probation Department for the exclusive purpose of proactive identification and apprehension of absconders countywide in their implementation plan due in 30 days.

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